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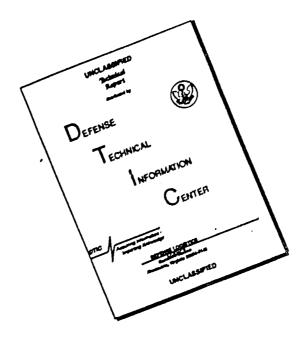
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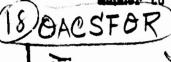
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Strange lands, customs and peoples confront our military personnel in the accomplishment of their mission in Thailand. Knowledge of the history, geography and inhabitants contributes substantially to the successful accomplishment of this mission.

The first historical reference to the Thai people occurred approximately 2,500 years ago, about the time of the birth of the Lord Buddha. Thailand today is essentially a Buddhist nation. The Loyalties and devotions of the Thai are royalty, religion, family and village.

The Kingdom of Thailand is roughly 4/5 the size of Texas. It is almost completely closed by mountains. The boundaries extend for the most part along the mountains and the Nekong Aiver. Central Thailand is the heart of the country, in which is located the bulk of the people and the best rice land. Being situated in the tropics the chemate is one of high temperatures, high humidity and frequent torrential showers during the rainy season.

The family is the basis of the organization of Thai Society. It is the foundation of the political unit, the village, and the family has the primary responsibility for farm output and distribution of it.

Thailand is mainly a country of formers, (85%) the great bulk of the population. There is an abundance of land and the farmer can usually raise enough to meet his needs, a gift for Buddhist Monks, for feasts and celebration. The farmer will work hard for these things but no harder. The accumulation of wealth for its own sake is not a part of the Thai scheme of values.

The Chinese constitute the largest and most important ethnic minority. They play an active role in the nation's economic life. The Thai have a feeling of distrust of the Chinese and the two communities have gradually become isolated from each other.

The entire Thai population has a remarkable degree of cultural uniformity. Buddhism, a common language, and compulsory primary education have contributed to this uniformity.

The Thai manner of approach is friendly, polite, rather soft spoken and reserved. They prefer to receive orders in the form of requests, not commands, and they react to unauthorized compulsion by stubborn resistance.

Over the centuries the Thai people have developed their own distinctive culture. Significant cultural factors are: (1) the royal court; (2) the dominant religion - Buddhism; (3) the secular - religious pursuits as reflected in their art, music and literature.

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The 9th Logistical Command (B) was constituted 3 May 1960 in the Regular Army as Headquarter, 9th Logistical Command (B) and was activated 16 May 1960 on Okinawa. It was reorganized and redesignated 15 March 1961 as Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 9th Logistical Command (P).

The first U.S. troops were deployed to Thailand at the request of the Royal Thai Government in 1962 to build the Pangkok By-Pass Road now nearing completion. The first broops arrived in May 1962.

More units of the 9th Logictical Command were sent to Thailand early in 1962 to support SEATO Exercise Air Cobra.

Soon thereafter the deteriorating, situation in Southeast Asia "sulted in the formation of JTF 116 in Thailand in May at the request of the Royal Thei Government.

9th Log Cond elements remained and those troops still on Okinawa were sent to Thailand. The command became the logistical support element for the Task Force and came under its operational control.

With the deactivation of the JTF in December 1962, the 9th Log Comd remained in Thailand. Its mission become that of storing and maintaining prepositioned stocks, the conducting of a large scale people-to-people civic action program, maintaining an in-country communications base, improving the logistical base, and providing the nucleus of support troops deployed to Thailand. This mission continues to try.

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- d. The flat Field Hospital is adjable at supporting the curve a in-country Army forces by operating nucleal facilities at various locations.
- 3. (3) Additional forces required by 9th log Comm (B) to effectively accomplish its assigned missions.
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Unit Readiness

The attached chart represents the progress we have made in unit equipment status, more specifically, the progress from 1 January 1965 through 30 September 1965.

The Green represents combat ready equipment free of any condition limiting reliable performance of its mission.

The Red represents equipment unable to perform its mission, to include TOE shortages, or equipment not available to the unit within a 24 hour period.

A unit is considered REDCON 1 when its equipment status is a minimum of 70% in the green and not more than 10% in the red. The <u>BARS</u> on this chart represents the unit's current equi ment status as of 30 September 1965, whereas the <u>tick marks</u> represent the units equipment status as of January 1965.

As you can see, there has been considerable improvement in units equipment status throughout this 9 month period. This is attributed mainly to three things:

Receipt of initial shortage.

Replacement of obsolete items.

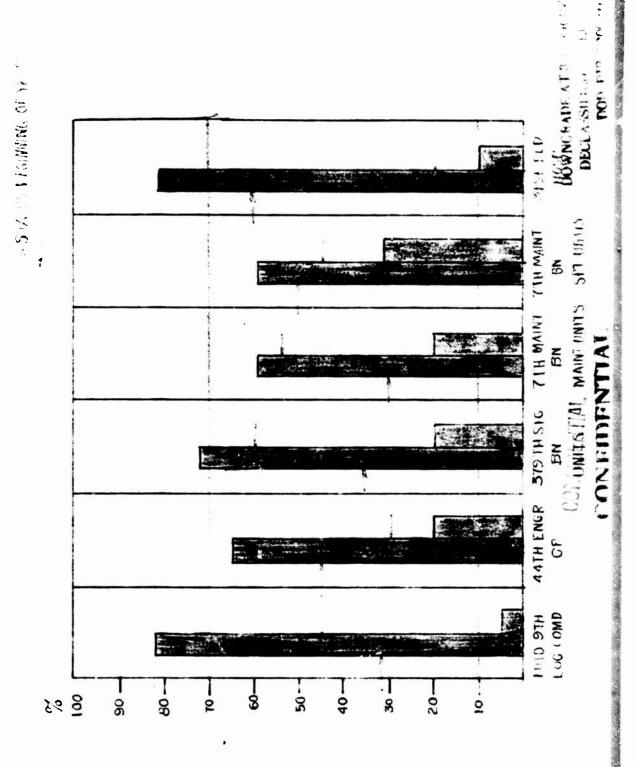
An increase in the return of items from maintenance.

The short falls as reflected in the 7th Maintenance Battalion are due mainly because these units underwent a complete reorganization on 1 July 1965 and have not yet received all of their TOE equipment. Emphasis on improvement in equipment readiness will continue to be stressed.

The next quarterly report will be prepared as of 31 December 1905 and submitted on or about 10 January 1966.

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12. Solat Engr Co	3	16	(1) Shortage of equipment consisting of two major line items.
13. HHC, 44th Engr Co	4	29	(1) Shortage of equipment consisting of six major line items.(2) Shortage of repair parts required to get one item off of dead line.

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DOWNGRADE AT 3 YEAR INTERNALS DECLASSIFIED AFTER 12 YEARS

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- 1. The goals assigned this command by CG USARYIS for FY 66 total 2210,000.00.
- 2. Savings reported to date amount to \$244,696 and were accomplished as follows:
- a. \$3,962.81 by consolidating medical supply activities and repairing medical linen and uniforms.
- b. \$156,584.00 by devising more efficient and accurate methods of describing cargo arriving in the Port of Ban kok, by more effective cargo handling and by a revision of drayage and line-haul contracts.
- c. \$61,473.00 by more effective maintenance management to thelide a recapping contract for 5 ton tires and an improved equipment operator maintenance program.
- d. \$8,774.19 oy reduced Preventive Maintenance Services on Oranance vehicles.
- e. \$13,902.00 by improved real property management to include replacement of grass eyebrows with metal ones.

379TH SIGNAL BARTALION

MISSIONS

- 1. OPERATE PORTION OF THE COMMUNICATION ELECTRONIC BASE THATLAND.
- 2. PROVIDE TECHNICAL CONTROL FOR ENTIRE COMMUNICATION MAECINCALC BASE.
- 3. OPERATE RADIO BROADCAST STATION CENTRAL THAILAND.
- 4. OPERATE & M.INTAIN INTERNAL COMMUNICATIONS FOR 9TH LOG COMU (B).
- 5. CONTINGENCY COMMUNICATIONS.
- 6. OPERATE AND MAINTHIN INTERNAL COMMUNICATIONS FOR JUSTAG AND COMUSMACTHAI.

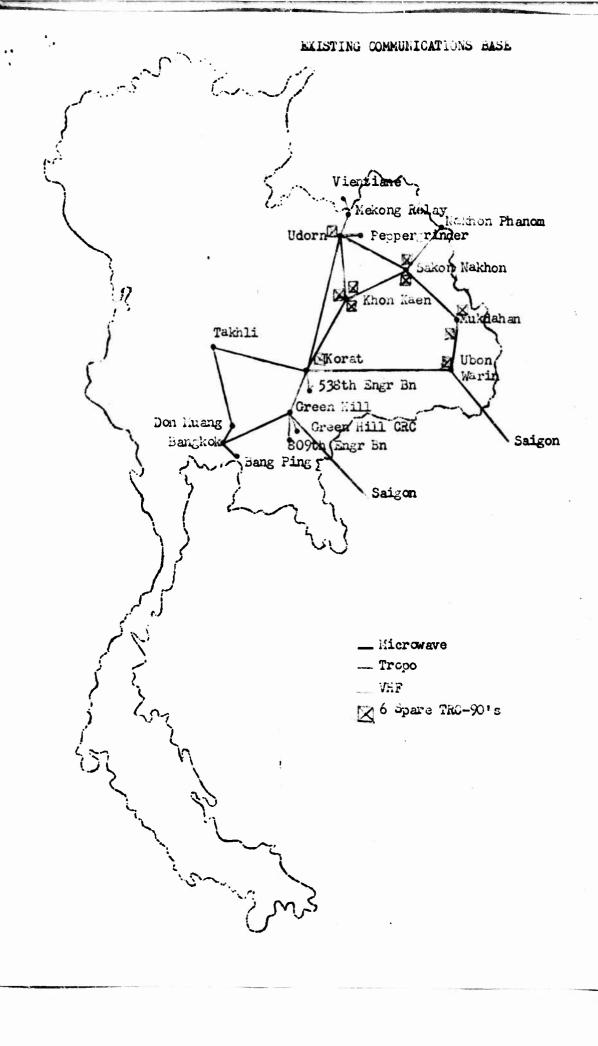
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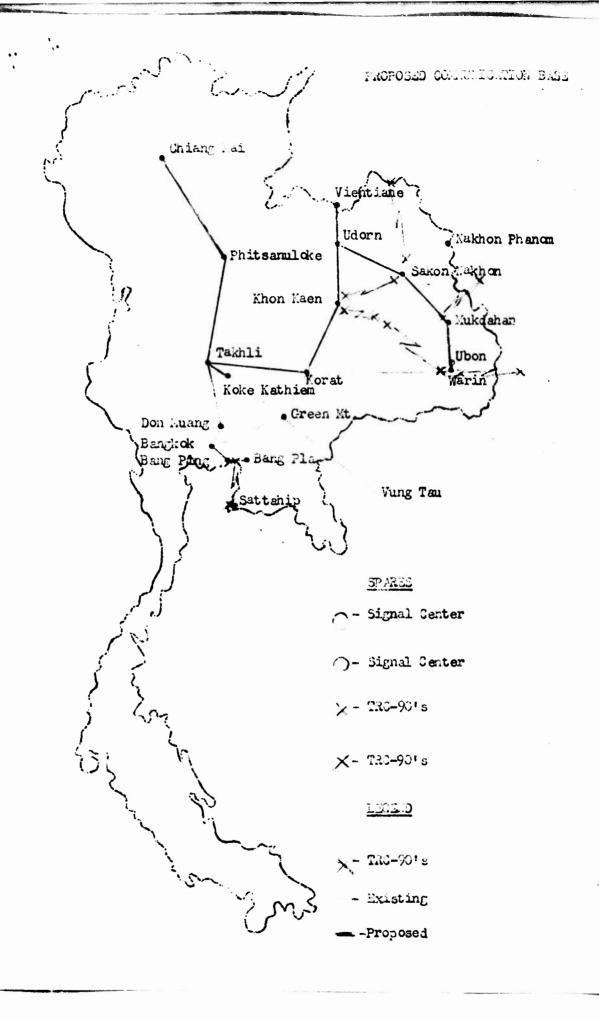
SUBJECT: C. E. Base Thailand

C. E. Base Thailand consists of U.S. Army and Air Force tactical Communications Equipment and Fixed Heavy Duty Tropo Equipment. The C. E. Base is controlled by the 379th Signal Battalion. Air Force Units are the major users of assigned channels. Increased requirements for communications to support operations in Southeast Asia makes installation and quality performance of C. E. Base circuits a critical operation. Priority circuits must be installed, controlled and maintained to support operations, especially Air Force requirements.

Through Facilities Control at Korat, Udorn and Ubon, U.S. Army, Air Force and Fixed Heavy Duty Tropo are interfaced through tactical patch panels so that all equipment can be utilized and be made compatible in the communications network.

Critical circuits in the C. E. Base are those circuits that terminate in Vietnam and Clark Air Force Base. Ninety (90%) of the long haul channels of the C. E. Base are utilized by the Air Force. High priority circuits demand an immediate reaction if circuits are not of a good quality or are out of operation. This is of prime importance on teletype circuits. The 379th Signal Battalion has insufficient equipment and trained personnel to maintain its present pace of controlling and restoring high priority circuits and continuing to manage the overall C. E. Base. A group of facilities Controllers, both officer and enlisted personnel are required to monitor, reroute and restore critical circuits on a twenty-four (24) hours basis. Present facilities control equipment is of the tactical type (SB-675 shelter mounted) and are insufficient in space and equipment to insure high quality performance, test and restoration of critical circuits. TUCR 3-66 has been submitted to USARPAC and forwarded to Department of the Army to provide additional personnel to support the Facilities Control of C. E. Base Thailand. Mobile Facilities Control Vans are being fabricated at Okinawa to provide the battalion with more refined Facilities Control Equipment pending permanent Class IV development project installation.





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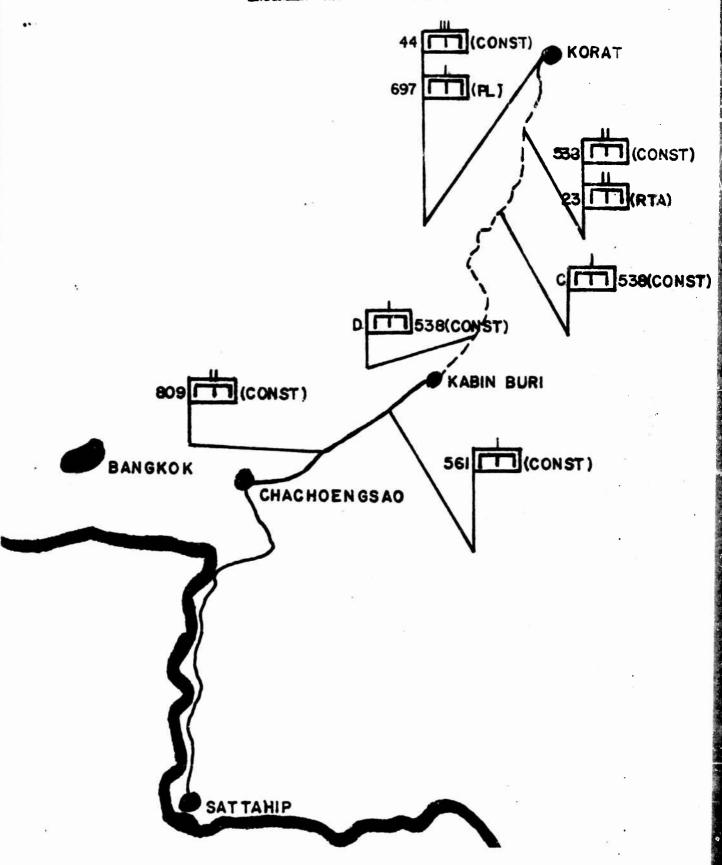
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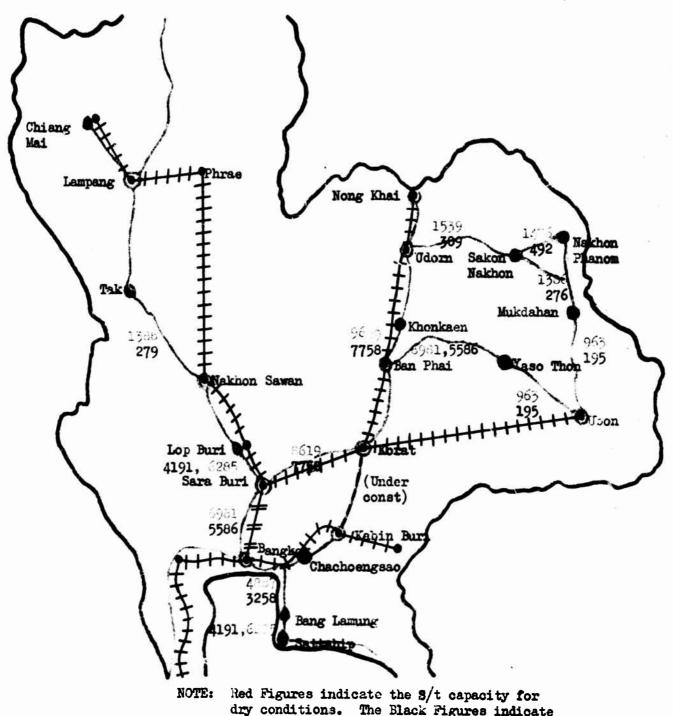
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SUBJECT: Storage Statistics

1.	Total	tonnage	and	monetary	value	of	stocks	on	hand:

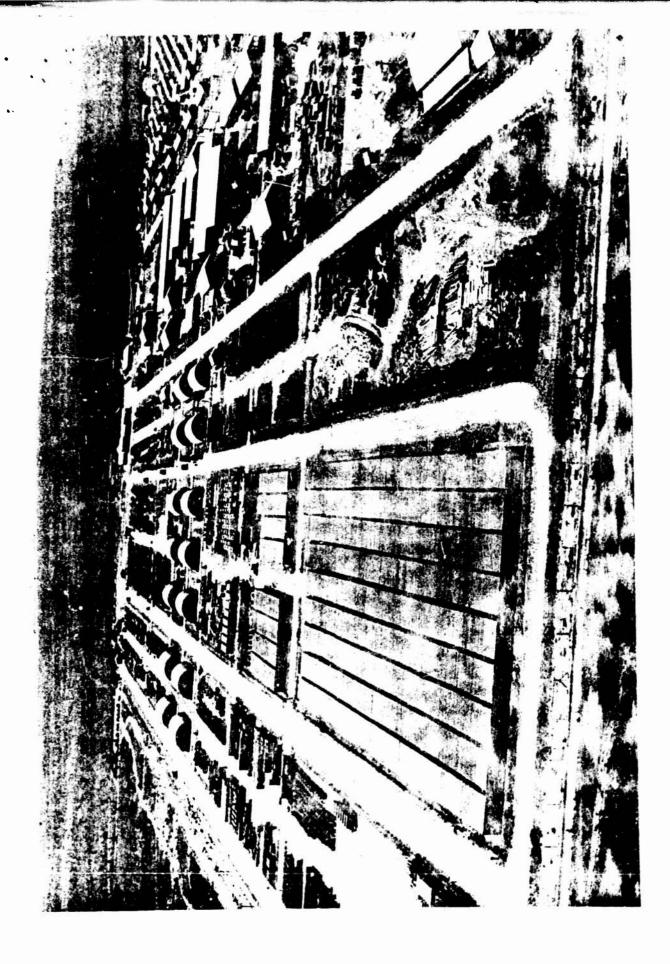
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Class II & IV	83 tons	1,150
Class III	357 tons	14
Class V	4,100 tons	3,985
SLAT	34,041 tons	11,670
Vehicular	1.125 tons	14,800
	43,826 tons	31,701M

2. Gross space presently available:

Covered	<u>Open</u>		
92,000 sq ft	1,184,675	sq	ft

3. Additional Gross Space Requirements Projected:

Covered	<u>Open</u>		
289,000 sq ft	1,003,000 sq ft		



SUPJECT: Camp Friendship, Koret, Theiland

- 1. <u>Initial Construction</u>: The initial portion of Camp Friendship was constructed by the 561st Engineer Company (Const) from May 1962 to January 1963. Continuous improvements have been made since 1963 by the R and U Section, 44th Engineer Group, utilizing Thai labor.
 - 2. Improvements: Some of the improvements are listed below:

a.	Log	Train Area - December	1964 to March 1965.	
	1.	Billets	131 Bldgs	67,000 sq ft
	2.	Administration	21 Bldgs	45,000 sq ft
	3.	Mess	1 Bldg	600 men

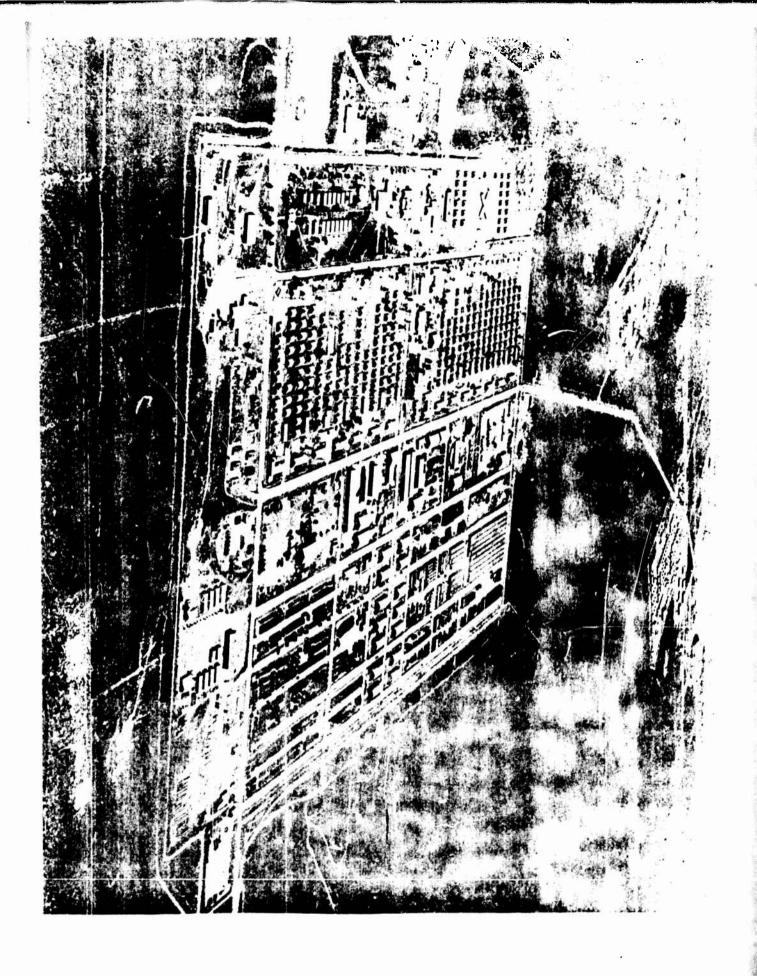
- b. Fire House March 1965. 2,400 sq ft
- c. Library completed January 1965.
- d. R and U Warehouse completed June 1965.
- e. New Officers' Club completed February 1965.
- f. Of Repair Warehouse completed February 1965.
- g. Sprigging of all berms in Class V Depot,.
- 3. Present Facilities at Camp Friendship:
 - a. Depot 1. Total Area 45 acres

 2. Administration 3 Bldgs 2,300 sq 20

 3. Open Storage 5:4,000 sq 21

 4. Vehicle Storage 351,000 sq 2t

 5. Covered Storage 16 Bldgs 56,000 sc ft
 - b. ASP Covered Storage 64,000 sq ft.
 - c. Troop Area including Log Trein Area.
 - 1. Total Area 115 acres. 257 Bldgs 2. Billet -131,584 sq ft 26,400 sn ft 3. Administration -45 Bldgs 4. Mess -2,200 men 4 each 17,056 sq ft . Recreation -9 Bleps (. Covered Storage -26 Bldgs 104,000 sq ft



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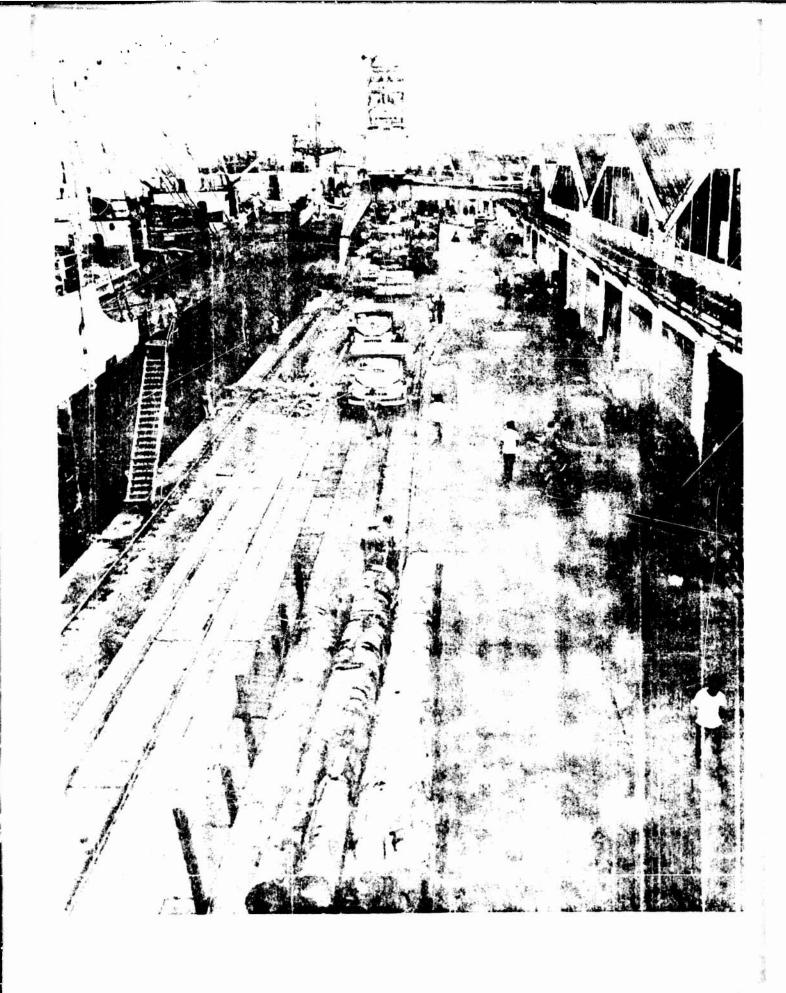
- 1. <u>Background</u>: The 31st Field Mospital was reactivated at Ft. Lewis, Washington on 21 May 1962 and arrived in Thailand on 30 May 1962. It became operational on 4 June 1962.
- 2. Present Facilities: a. The hospital occupies an area on the Royal Thai Air Force Base about two (2) miles from Camp USARTHAI. The main building was originally built in 1942 and was used to billet troops. All other buildings in the hospital area have been built by the US Army since May 1962.
- b. The hospital is designated ara 40 bed hospital but can be expanded to 100 beds, with some difficulties, within the present structure. Equipment is on hand for a 100 bed hospital. At present there are two (2) wards, medical and surgical.
 - 3. Personnel: a. Authorized strength of the hospital staff is:

Medical Corps	6
Dental Corps	1.
Army Nurse Corps	4
Medical Service Corps	3
Warrent Officer	1
Enlisted Personnel	41.

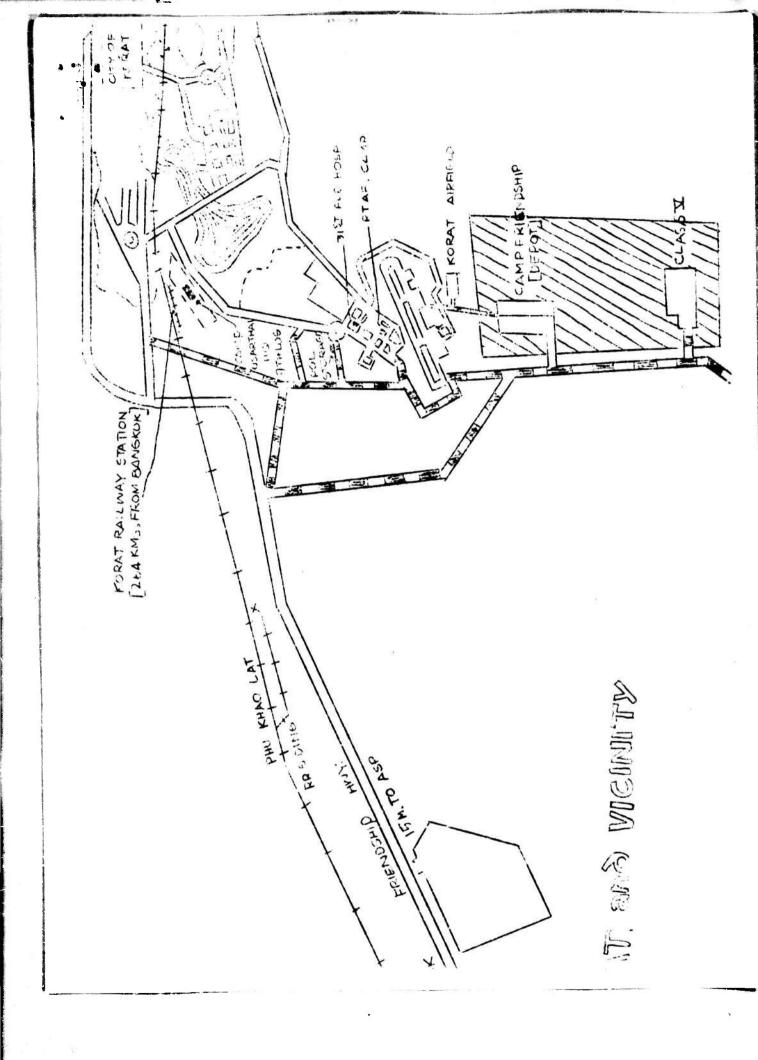
b. A personnel augmentation would be required to operate a 100 ted hospital. Present professional striff includes three (3) General Surgeons, one of whom is the Communer, one (1) Internist, one (1) Radiologist, and one (1) General Medicine Officer.

- 4. Hospital Statistics: a. Average daily beds occupied; 24.
 - b. Average daily outratient visits; 59.
 - c. Average weekly number of patients evacuated; 3.
- 5. Dental Care: a. The 252d Medical Detachment (Dental) operates a three (3) chair dental clinic immediately adjacent to the hospital with two (2) dental officers and four (4) enlisted men assigned. It occupies a building which was built in September 1964.
- b. The average number of dental procedures accomplished daily is approximately 100.
- ℓ_{\bullet} Future Plans: A 100 bed hospital is being planned and will be built in the Camp Friendship area.









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